

## DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No.71003

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: CROP MARK SPLITTING

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Prior Foreign Application(s)

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Yes

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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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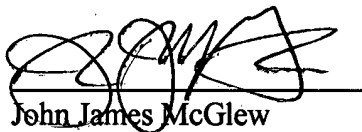
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Attached please find the complete application papers and large entity fees in the above-identified application which are being placed in the U.S. Mail today, July 29, 2003, as Express Mail number EV323630705US.

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